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Expedited Procedure  
Examining Group 1756  
PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:	)	
Lassig et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1756
Application No.: 10/644,269	)	Examiner: Barreca, Nicole M
Confirmation No.: 7489	)	Atty. Docket No: LAM1P111.CIP
Filed: August 19, 2003	)	Date: December 16, 2005
For: Method for Patterning a Layer of a Low Dielectric Constant Material	)	

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this paper in response to the Final Office Action, dated September 26, 2005. The period for response extends to December 27, 2005. Applicants request reconsideration of the subject application in light of the following:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the **Listing of Claims**, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Applicants' **Remarks**, which begin on page 9 of this paper.

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